FIRE INSURANCE STOCKS.

TITLE INSURANCE STOCKS.

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

BALTIMORE GRAIN MARKET.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 11,-Wheat-

WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET

BUTTER-Eigin print, 656; Eigin, 1946; process, 13636; stere packed, 18630; EGGB-Nearby, 46646; Southern, 18646; CHEESE-New York State, factory, new

D., 15c; beavy, 1b., 11@11%c. GAME.—Rabbita, No. 1, per dex., \$2.76@2.56 No. 2, per dox., \$1.86@1.50.

**NEW YORK COTTON DROPS** 

Early Trading Shows Decrease, Bu

Recovers Later.

ders accumulated over the week-en-

and cotton prices dropped five to

twenty points early. The Liverpool cables were weaker. Support came

into the market, however, from local and Southern bulls, and the list re-covered to over the final prices of Saturday. Trade quieted in anticipa-tion of the 2 o'clock Government esti-

TWO CHAUFFEURS ACCUSED

To Be Arraigned Next Monday on

Charge of Grand Larceny.

northwest, while on an automobile

DIES IN FIRE HOUSE

"Flame Fan" Buccumbe at Spot He

Haunted Thirty Years.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11 -- Selling or

Arlington Fire Insurance 8
Firemen's Fire Ins.... 18%
Ger-Amer. Fire Ins.... 285
Nat. Union Fire Ins.... 6%
Potemac Fire Insurance. 28

Real Estate Title Ins.... 80

U. S. Realty Co..... 10

# WALL ST. MARKET

Mont P...

Nat Bis. . .

Nat Lead. Nat Ld p.. Nat E&S..

Nat C&S..

Nev Cons. NYAIr Br.

NYCent ...

NYNHH.

Nor &W.

Nor Am...

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Pac Mail. .

Pac T&T ..

Phila Co..

Penn RR .

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Quicksily.

Rep St pf.

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TRADING LISTLESS AT MID-DAY IN NEW YORK.

Stock Offerings Are Made in NYOAW. Abundance Today-Submarine Issue Blamed-U. S. Nor Pac.. Steel Makes Further Reces- Nor &Wp. sions.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—The market turned soft and listless at midday. Stock offerings were made in abund-There is no great demand for stocks at this time, because of the approaching holidays, and because also RyStSpg. of the numerous elements that do not Ray Cons. Rep Steel. duce to cheerfulness. Probably the most disturbing factor is the unpertainty in regard to the submarine Rep B of Cuba 8514 lesue between this country and Ger-

many.
United States Steel made further recessions to 124% and moved narrowaly around to that level. The Copper stocks continued under pressure, although the Zinc shares held well. All the strong features of the early trading, such as the Rubber, Leather, and Paper shares lost most of their gains and in some cases more. American Can was a reactionary spot, selling down nearly to 60. The marine stock made little change. The certificates have been stricken from the list. The railroad list was generally soft and neglected.

Today's Quotations. Read 2 pi BL SW pf. Sothn Pac. Sothn Ry Soth Ry of

Texas Co.. Today's Quotations. Tex Co rts Quotations today up to 1:30 o'clock Texas Pac. UB &P nw 11314 67 66% 66% Acme Tea. 145% Advance R Un R Inv . 1234 Ajax Rubr Alaska G.. Alaska Ju. US IndAl. 1234 1234 US Rub .. 6614 114 USRb 1 p. Al OhMfg. 32 USSM&R. Al Ch Mp. 80 USSteel .. Am Ag Ch. Am B Sug.. 9334 93% USSteel p 12154 10614 10314 10614 UtahCop. Am Can... Am CarPy 6134 60 6134 Utah Sec. 77 Va-CarC. A CarF pf. 11914 11934 ValC&C. Am CO pf. 10114 10134 10134 10134 Wabash. 1634 Am H&L.. 16 16 Wab p A. Am HL p. 79 76 3156 Wab p B. 29% 305 6134 Westhee. 22 22 22 West UT... 10214 Leeed p. West Md. Am Loco.. 9254 9234 WelsFEx. A MaltC p White Mot 11534 Am Smelt. 11446 Willy Ov. A Smelt p. 11654 116)4 1161 11614 WLE wi ... 9935 WLE pr wi ... A SteelFy. 5114 5114 Wis Cent.. Am Sugar. 116 115% 11514 13914 13914 13914 Woolwth. 104% 104 10444 124 Worth p A TASF p. 100% 100% 10014 10014 33% 33% 33 12614 ▲ Tel&Tel 12514 12534 9134 9114 9134 AmT&Telt 9134 9736 9714 Am TelC.. 9714 9714 21934 Am Tob ... 219% 21934 21914

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Bald Loc p

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Burns Bros

Butte Sup.

Cal Pet pf. Oan Pac ..

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Cen Lthr p

Ches Oh ..

Chi GtW p

Chi &NW. CMASt P.

OMSt Pp.

Chino Cop

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Corn P pf.

Con Can ..

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Goodrich .

Granby ...

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### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

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M street northwest, between Fourth and Fifth atreets—S. Duncan Bradley et ux. to H. Josle Amee, lot 101, square 512, 513.

Villa Park—Francis A. Fournier et ux. to James E. Burroughs, lot I. square 125, 55.

Whitney Closs—Moneil Dorr to William J. Vickery, lot 110, square 1650, 510.

Whitney Closs—Moneil Dorr to William J. Vickery, lot 110, square 1660, 510.

Hillbrook—Alice S. Citterman to Mary Schaefer, lots 61, 10, 51, and 52, square 1677, 510.

Ill? F street northwest (the Huyler building)—Frank Dek, Huyler et al., executors and trustees, 10 Coulter D. Huyler, one-third interest in part of original lots 4 and 5, square 220, 528, 548. Coulter D. Huyler et ux. convey a one-third interest in same property to Gramercy Investment Company, \$100.

Addition to Brookland—Mary A. Heim to Edward M. Nevils, lot 4, block 4, \$10.

Petworth—Charles C. Mayer et ux. to Jesse M. Shreve, lot 79, square 3124, 510.

Princip. lot 79, square 3124, 510.

The following building permits were issued today: To Rosa Eberly to repair house at 618 Ninth street northwest; estimated cost, \$600. To Charles H. Taylor for erection of two-story frame and stucco house

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of two-story frame and stucco house at 3519 Lewell street northwest; builder, C. H. Taylor; estimated cost, \$7,000.

To National Training School for Women and Girls for erection of two-story frame building in Grant street, between Fiftieth and Fifty-first streets northeast; estimated cost, \$1,000.

To Arthur L. Cassillo to repair house corner Manning street and Sherrill place; estimated cost, \$500.

To Louis P. Gatti to repair house corner Fourteenth street and Columbia road northwest; architect, Julius Wenig; contractors, Martin & Brown; estimated cost, \$9,000.

### TELLS OF WAR RIGORS

Mrs. Barahat Describes Sufferings of Defenseless Syrians.

Sufferings of defenseless Syrians under the rigors of Turkish rule were dramatically told by Mrs. Lay yah Barahat, of Philadelphia, in an address before the Conference of Oppressed or Defenseless Nationalities at the New Ebhitt today.

Although hindered by difficulties of English pronunciation, Mrs. Barahat told a story so pathetic that at the rather dramatic conclusion, she was greeted with an extended ovation. She is master of several Oriental tongues, and she drew on the vivid phraseology of the East for meta-

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phraseology of the East for metaphors.

Other speakers were the Rev. F. S.
Noll, of Boston, representing the Albanians; Miran Sevasly, of Boston,
speaking for the Armenians; Simon O.
Pollock, of New York, for the Russian
Hebrews, and Albert N. Weber, of
Chicago, for the Croatians.

This afternoon the session was
scheduled to hear representatives of
the Letts, Lithuanians, Poles, Ukranlans, and Slovaks. The conference
will end with a banquet tonight, at
which the speakers will be Mme. Aino
Malmberg, of Finland; Prof. William
I. Thomas, of the University of Chicago, and Charles Pergler, of Cresco,
lowa.

## **PUPILS DRESS DOLLS**

Force School Children Help Central Union Mission.

Pupils of the Peter J. Force School, Massachusetts avenue and Eighteenth street northwest, today volunteered to dress fifty dolls for the Central Union Mission.

They volunteered in response to an appeal sent out by the mission to have 200 dolls dressed to give to poor children who will be the beneficiaries

children who will be the beneficiaries of the union's hospitality on Christmas Day.

Twenty-five persons have responded to the appeal. This will take care of the number of dolls on hand, but the mission is anxious to have donations of other dolls and toys for poor children. Names and addresses of children who will be without Christmas cheer if the union cannot provide for them may be had on application at the mission headquarters, 622 Louisiana avenue.

# LOCAL MARKET

DEMAND FOR INVESTMENT 341/4 BONDS ONLY FEATURE

High. Low. 1:20

167% 108% 55%

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Stock List Develops Little of Interest-Washington Gas Is Strong-Arlington Fire Insurance and Lanston Monotype Show Activity-Tucker H. Sands Returns From New York After Pleasure Trip.

With the exception of a fair de mand for investment bonds, ther was little evidence of an accumula tion of orders over the week-end, at today's session of the Washingto Stock Exchange. The stock list de-veloped little of interest. Capital Traction stock, Washington Railway and Electric Company preferred, and Mergenthaler were weak. The first named stock opened with a sale of twenty shares at 84%. This was fol-lowed by a five-share lot at 84%, and a quotation lot at 83%, and the stock closed with 83% bid and 83% the of-

a quotation lot at 83%, and the stock closed with 83% bid and 85% the offering. These sales, which were exdividend, compare with 85% as the last previous sale.

The offering on Mergenthaler was lowered from 170% to 169% after call, with 169% the best bid. The offering of Railway preferred was lowered fractionally to 81%, with 81% the best bid.

Washington Gas stock was strong, odd lots selling at 71, and the bid for quotation lots being advanced from 70% to 71, without dislodging any more of the stock, which was held at 71%. Six shares of Lanston sold for 76%, and fifty shares of Arlington Fire Insurance stock sold for 8%, and after call two \$1.000 bonds sold for 82%, and after call two \$1.000 bonds sold for 82, and a small Norfolk and Washington Steamboat 5 brought 105%. Small bonds of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company were in demand at 102%.

Tucker K. Sands, cashier of the Commercial National Bank, was back at his desk today, having spent Saturday in New York. His trip to New York was purely pleasure, he stated.

TODAY'S SALES.

WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET.

BUTTER.—Elgin print, 6940; Seter packed, 1860c.

CHEESE-New York State, 1860c.

POLITRY-Live heas, per lb., 1861c; teler, 286c.

CHEESE-New York State, 1860c.

CHEESE-New York State, 18

TODAY'S SALES.

Capital Traction 5's, \$1,000@107, \$1,000@107, \$1,000@107, \$1,000@107, \$1,000@107, \$1,000@107, Washington Railway 4's, \$500@82\%, Graphophone first 6's, \$200@102\%, Capital Traction, 20@54\%, 5@54\%, 20@54\%, 5@54\%, Washington Gas, 10@71, 1@71, 2@71, Lanston Monotype, 7@76\%, Arlington Fire Insurance, 25@8\%, 25@8\%,

25@8 ½.

After call:
Graphophone first 6's. \$200@102 ½.
Capital Traction 5's. \$1,000@107.
\$1,000@107. Norfolk and Western Steamboat 5's, \$100@105 ½.
Washington Rallway 4's, \$1,000@82, \$1,000@82. 13934

### LOCAL BOND MARKET. GOVERNMENT BONDS.

1	GOATHUMENLY MOLING	
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١	U. S. Reg. 2's 90%	***
ı	U. S. Coupon 2's 99 U. S. Reg. 3's 100 S	***
ł	U. S. Reg. 3's 100 % U. S. Coupon 3's 100 %	***
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1	U. S. Reg. 4's 109 %	***
J	U. B. Reg. 4's	***
ł	D. C. 3.65's 103%	
ł	GAS BONDS.	100000
I	Geo. Gas Cert, Ind. 5's 104%	106%
1	Georgetown Gas 5's 104%	
J	Wash. Gas 5's 106%	*** 4
ij	Col. Gas & Elec. 5's 88	***
١	Col. Gas & Elec. Deb. 5's 80	
1	RAILROAD BONDS.	
ı	Cap. Traction R. R. 5's 106%	107
J	Ann. Pot. Guar. 5's 100	
ı	Ana. & Pot. 5's 100	
1	City & Suburban 5's 102 4	***
l	Metropolitan R. R. S's 104%	***
į	Wash, Ry. & Elec. 4's. 81%	82 %
ı	Wash., Alex. & Mt. V. 5's. 71	
١	MISCELLANEOUS BOND	8.
	Potomac Elec. Cons. 5's. 101%	10234
H	Potomac Elec, Lt. 5's 104 %	106
ŀ	C. & P. Telephone 5s 104	105 14
	C. & P. Telephone 5s 104 Amer. Tel. & Telga. 4s. 96	
Į	Amer. Tel. & Tel. 414's 10514	
	Amer. Grap. 1st 6q 102	102 14
١	D. C. Paper Mfg. 5's	97
ł	Wash, Market 5's 1927 96	***
r	Wash, Market 5's 1947 96	***
į	W. M. Cold Storage D'a 97	***
Ň	W. M. Cold Storage 5'a 97 N. & W. Steamboat 105	***
l	Rigge Realty 5s (long): 1014	
١	Riggs Realty 5's (short) 101	***
H	U. S. Realty 5'a 104	****
	PUBLIC UTILITY STOCE	£8.
١	*Capital Traction 831/2	83%
I	Wash Ry. & Elec., com., 80	82
п	100 mg 10	52 S. M. C.

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec 11.—"It is a cold night and a dandy one for a bad fire," remarked "Jimmie" Whalpole, rubbing his hands crisply with an evident air of satisfaction, before he sauntered the other night to his chosen spot, a chair in "Engine 42's house" Wash Ry. & Elec., com. 30
Wash. Ry. & Elec., pf., 81
N. & W. Steamboat. 154
Washington Gas 71
Col. Gas & Elec. 48
\*Amer. Tel. & Telga. 125%
Amer. T. & T. Rights. 2 TYPE MACHINE STOCKS.

Mergenthaler Linotype, 169 Langton Monotype, ..... 76%

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NATIONAL BANK STOCK	8.
Amer. Nat. Bank 15219	155
Capital Nat. Bank 225 Columbia Nat. Bank 240 Commercial Nat. Bank 1944	250 210
District Nat. Bank 145 Far. & Mech. Nat. Bk 245	
Lincoln Nat. Bank 1641/2	170
Metro. National Bank. 203 Riggs Nat. Bank. 510 Second Nat. Bank. 143½ Nat. Bank of Wash. 220	590 150 230
TRUST COMPANY STOCK	S.
Amer. Sec. & Trust 260 Nat. Say. & Trust 275	270
Union Trust 1224 Wash, Loan & Trust 233	125
Continental Trust 128	130

SAVINGS BANK STOCKS.

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will bite.
"That's all wrong," said Edward C.
Mahan. "See, I can stick my finger
in there and poke his nose and all
he'll do is to back away."
As he spoke, Mahan thrust his finger through the wire mesh. The animal immediately grabbed the finger
and held on until he had been beaten. FINANCIAL

WOULDN'T BITE, BUT DID.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 11.—Jack Noyle has a coyote in a cage on ex-hibition. Also he has a sign on the

cage warning people that the animal

## KNOWLEDGE OF NEEDS

The men who direct and manage this Company are men of family, who know full well the perplexities and difficulties that the family must solve and overcome; they know the dependency and infirmities of age, the weaknesses and tendencies of youth, the problems of education of sons and daughters and the constant, careful measuring of means to bring the desired ends.

They offer you their accumulated experience and judgment in the solution of YOUR problems of provision for youth or age, for present and future.

## The Washington Loan and Trust Company, 900-902 F Street N. W.

OFFICERS: JOHN JOY EDSON, President
ELLIS SPEAR, Vice President
JOHN B. LARNER, Vice President and General Counsel
ANDREW PARKER, Vice President and Trust Officer
HARRY G. MEEM, Treasurer
BOYD TAYLOR, Assistant Treasurer
THOMAS BRADLEY, Real Estate Officer.

# **HIGHER PAY VOTED** FOR U.S. WORKERS

Committee Reports House Measure With Percentage Increase for Clerks.

(Continued from Seventh Page.) hief clerk is increased from \$1,600

"Indian Office-A forester at \$3,00

rmer; December and spot No. 2 red. 77 %; No. 2 red Western, spot. 83 %; January, \$1.77 %. Receipts, 0,670 bushels; exports, 440,882 is omitted. "Pension Office—The following employes are ommitted—One surgeon. At \$2,000; Two clerks of class 4, at \$1,800 each, \$3,600; five clerks of class 2, at \$1,400 each, bushels.

Corn—Firmer; December and spot mixed, \$1.01%; No. 3 dry yellow, \$1.01; cob corn, prime yellow, \$4.30. Receipts, 46,835 bushels; no exports.

Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 62,62% cents; stankard white, 61 cents; asked, 62% cents; No. 3 white, 60 cents; asked, 60% cents. Receipts, 220,703 bushels; exports, 551,009 bushels. \$7,000; six clerks of class 1, at \$1,000 each, \$7,200; one clerk, \$1,000; one copyist, \$900; one engineer, \$1,200; one messenger, \$340; one assistant messenger, \$720; three messenger boys, at \$400 each, \$1,200; one skilled laborer, \$600. ela.

Rye—Steady; No. 2 Western, export, \$1.54; asked, \$1.55. Receipts, 101,270 bushels; exports, 242,662 bushels.

Hay—Steady; No. 1 timothy, \$16.50; asked, \$17; No. 1 clover, mixed, \$15.50. Receipts, 209 tons.

Post Office Department.

"The clerical force of the depart ment is reorganized, and, without reference to transfers from one office to another, the following detailed explanation shows the increases and de-creases in the number of places and

another, the following detailed explaination shows the increases and deformation shows the increases and deformation of places and salaries recommended in the bill:

"Postmaster General's office—Two Two clerks at \$1,800 each are provided in lieu of a bookkeeper and accountant and a printing clerk at the same salaries, and two clerks at \$1,800 each are provided in lieu of a messenger at the same salary. A painter at \$840 is provided in lieu of a messenger at the same salary. Two blacksmiths and a fireman who shall be a blacksmith and a fireman who shall be a blacksmith and a fireman who shall be a blacksmith and a fireman who shall be a stemfitter at the same salaries. The pay of three pages is increased from \$400 to \$420.

"Postoffice inspector's division—One clerk is increased from \$1,400 to \$1,400 and one at \$900 are omitted.

"Purchasing agent's division—One clerk at \$1,400 each, \$4,600; four clerks, at \$1,000 each, \$4,600; four clerks, at \$1,000 each, \$4,000; three borers, at \$600 each, \$4,000; three clerks from \$1,200 to \$1,400 each, \$4,000; three clerks from \$1,200 to \$1,000 each.

"Two clerks are increased from \$3,600; four clerks, at \$1,000 each, \$4,000; three clerks from \$1,200 to \$1,000 each.

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"Postal savings division—One clerk is reduced from \$1,600 to \$1,200 and one from

Accused of having robbed Richard J. Malone, of 1320 Fourteenth street operators at \$720 each are recom-

trip to a club in Maryland, Friday "Secretary's office—A chief engineer and electrician at \$1,200 is provided in lieu of an engineer at \$1,100, and a laborer at \$660 is transferred from the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce.

"Bureau of Lighthouses—An assistiant engineer at \$2,000 is recommended. The pay of a draftsman is increased from \$1,560 to \$1,600. A draftsman at \$1,200 and a clerk at \$840 are omitted.

"Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce—The following additional employes are recommended: One translator, \$1,400; two clerks, at \$1,400; each, \$2,800; three clerks, at \$1,000 each, \$2,800; three clerks, at \$1,000 each, \$3,600; two measenger boys, at \$420 each, \$5,600; two measenger at \$660 is transferred to the Secretary's office.

"Steamboat Inspection Service—A clerk at \$1,800 is provided in the office of the supervising inspector general.

Additional Inspectors. night, George H. McNeary and Nelson L. Hart, public chauffeurs, will be "Secretary's office-A chief engineer arraigned in Police Court next Monarraigned in Police Court next Monday on charges of grand larceny.

The men were arrested yesterday and released last night on \$2,500 bond each for their appearance in court.

Malone told the police Saturday morning he drew \$2,800 from bank and had a large sum with him when he hired the automobile in Pennsylvania avenue. When he returned from the trip that night, he said, \$1,400 of his money was gone.

The chauffeurs were arrested here and two women, who said they were Mary Pachello, thirty-three, and Theresa Inscoe, twenty-two, were

eral.

Additional Inspectors.

"Additional assistant inspectors are recommended as follows: New York six, at \$2,000 each; Philadelphia, two at \$1,500 each; Seattle, two, at \$1,600 each; Duluth, two, at \$1,600 each. "Navigation, Bureau of-The pay o the deputy commissioner is increased from \$2,400 to \$2,750,

chosen spot, a chair in "Engine 42's house."

"Jimmie" was no longer young. His hair was silvered with the wear and tear of fifty-three years. But he was happy. He derived immense comfort from the fact that he was the most renowned of Chicago fire "fans: that he was one of the select; that he could recall every fire "Engine 42" went to in the last thirty years, because he had seen them himself.

"It is a good night for a fire," repeated "Jimmie." But if one was to happen little did he know that his eyes would be closed to it. At 4:30 a.m. Pipeman George Hughes found him dead in the chair. But he had died in his own environment and with a smile on his face. from \$2,400 to \$2,750.

"Standards, Bureau of—The following additional employes are recommended: One chemist, \$3,000; two associate chemists, at \$2,700, each, \$5,400; three associate chemists, at \$2,000 each, \$6,000; two associate chemists, at \$1,800 each, \$5,800; one associate chemists, at \$1,800; three associate chemists, at \$1,400 each, \$4,200; three laboratory assistants, at \$1,200 each, \$3,800; one physical chemist, \$1,800; one laboratory assistant, \$1,000; one laboratory assistant, \$1,000; one laboratory helper, \$600; one sid, \$720; one laboratory helper, \$600; one clevator boy, \$480; one watchman, \$720; one assistant engineer, \$1,400, two laborers, at \$600 each, \$1,320.

"Secretary's Office: The following

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additional employes are recommended:

"One clerk, \$1,600; two clerks, at \$1,200 each, \$2,400; one messenger boy, \$480; one electrician, \$900; three firemen, at \$720 each, \$2,180; one watchman, \$720; two charwomen, at \$240 each, \$480; one elevator conductor, \$720.

"The pay of an engineer is increased from \$1,000 to \$1,100.

"Bureau of Labor Statistics: The following additional employee are recommended:

"Two clerks, at \$1,800 each, \$3,600; one clerk, \$1,600; two clerks, at \$1,200 each, \$2,400.

"Bureau of Naturalization: A clerk at \$1,500 and one at \$1,000 are recommended.

Court of Claims.

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"One clerk at \$1,600, who shall be stenographer, is provided in lieu of from a lump sum, and four stenog. fish out of the Potoms raphers at \$1,200 each are recommendington was little more ed. Two clerks at \$1,400 each, and a and they're still at it. stenographer at \$1,200 are omitted. Joseph Blackburn, ag

Limitations.

"Limitations with respect to expen ditures or legislative provisions within clause 2 of Rule XXI of the House, not heretofore enacted, are recom-

mended as follows:

"In connection with the appropriation for collecting the cotton-futures tax:

"Provided, That no person shall be employed hereunder at a compensation exceeding \$4,000 per annum.

"That portion of section thirty-five hundred and ninety-five of the Bevised Statutes, which provides for the appointment of an assistant Treasurer of the United States at Baltimore is repealed from and after July first, nineteen hundred and seventeen.

"In connection with the shipping service:

vided in lieu of a clerk at \$900.

"Third assistant's office—The pay to \$1,400.

"Postal savings division—One clerk is reduced from \$1,600 to \$1,400.

"Postal savings division—One clerk is reduced from \$1,600 to \$1,400 and one from \$1,400 to \$1,200. The pay of a page is increased from \$360 to \$4500, and a messenger at \$840 is provided in lieu of a clerk at \$900.

"Pourth assistant's office—A topographer at \$2,400 is provided in lieu of a draftsman at \$1,800. A clerk at \$1,000 is provided in lieu of a mechanic at the same salary.

Department of Justice.

"The pay of an attorney is increased from \$3,500 to \$4,500. A clerk at \$1,000 is omitted, and an additional clerk at \$1,600 and two telephone to operators at \$720 each are recommended."

Manual of the navigation laws.

For the Bureau of Standards, a \$5,600 increase in allow-ance for fuel, heat and light and chinery; a \$6,500 increase in allow-ance for fuel, heat and light and measurements of public utilities.

Appropriations for repairs and improvements at the Library of Congress include: Fire hose and fittings, \$1,075; repair of tunnels and book carriers to between the Library and the Capitol. \$8,500: repairs passenger elevators, \$2,000: pointing value for the White House, the bill appropriating \$30,000 for incidental expenses of the Executive Mansion.

More for Guelland.

Another tribute to the high cost of living-or gasolene and automobile and electrician at \$1,200 is provided repairs is paid in the appropriations

in London. "I refuse to have been born in Lowell-a man may choose where he was born," so the City of Spindles now believes it may choose whom it wishes to honor and may repudiate one who scorned to call it his native city, though he was born within its

limits.

The public protest against naming the new park opposite the city hall in honor of Whistler is believed in city council circles to have precluded all chance of the park being called Whistler Parkway, and to have deferred until spring the naming of the city's new park.

HUNTS BIRDS BY HAND.

JONATH BIRDS Y HAND.

BISTERVILLE, W. Va., Dec. 11.—
Jonathan Moore, a clerk in the local postoffice, claims to be the champion hunter of the country. He was gazing at the clouds from a window of the local postoffice the other day, wondering if the weather would be favorable for a quail hunt, when a partridge flew in the window. Mr. Moore caught the bird and immediately issued his claim, which has not yet been disputed.

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# FISHED ON POTOMAC OVER HALF CENTURY

Two Veteran Izaak Waltons **Have Caught Everything** But Sharks.

Izaak Walton has two thirty-third degree disciples on the Potomac river, near Washington. John Souders and Joseph Blackburn, fishermen for more a stenographer at \$1,600 formerly paid than half a century, were dragging fish out of the Potomac when Wash ington was little more than a village,

> Joseph Blackburn, aged seventy-nine years, is probably the oldest fisherman on the river. He uses the seine en-tirely, while John Souders, aged sixtyseven, is a hook and line artist who has fished in every spot on the Potomac from its mouth to the Chain bridge. The favorite fishing grounds of Mr. Bouders lie between the Eastern branch and the Chain bridge. The river is his home. Winter and summer he fishes. fishes away. He tells of breaking ice in Little river to get at the fish, and again of fishing when the sun beamed down as it has within the past week.

Few Days Missed.

Within the last four years, Mr. Sou-ders claims, he has missed only three or four days' fishing. He couldn't operate on these days because the water was too high. He has hooked everything from a tadpole to a porpolee, and, doubtless, would have caught a shark

doubtless, would have caught a shark had it invaded the waters around Washington.

Although he has cast line and sinker for about fifty years, Mr. Souders had failed to land a snapping turtle until last Sunday. He caught his first large snapper then, and considers that his fishing record now is about complete. Early in life Mr. Souders worked for an express company in Georgetown. Subsequently he took to fishing, and the lure of the Potomac has held him since.

Mr. Blackburn, who is a seine fisher-

man, remembers when there were no

man, remembers when there were no steamers on the Potomas, and the fishing boats were accustomed to take ice and go to Point Lookout on fifteen to thirty days fishing jaunts.

At one time he followed the oyster business on the lower Potomac, but during the past fifteen years, with the coming of competition of the steam traffic, he has given this up for the quister life of seine fishing for bait on the Potomac and Eastern Branch.

His whole life has been spent in the region of Washington. For the early part of his life he lived in Georgetown near the water front, but now his floating mansion, a boathouse, may be seen moored to the northeastern corner of Analostian Island, where he has lived for the past fifteen years.

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